CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

- 1. A miniaturized multi-channel transmitter, comprising:
- a signal processing chip, wherein the signal processing chip includes:
 - a plurality of input preamplifiers;
- a plurality of selective second amplifiers, wherein each selective second amplifier is connected to a different input preamplifier;
 - a subcarrier oscillator connected to the selective second amplifiers;
 - a timing circuit connected to the subcarrier oscillator;
 - a calibration circuit connected to the timing circuit; and
 - a 1-of-several decoder connected to the timing circuit.
- 2. The transmitter of claim 1, wherein each of the preliminary amplifiers includes an output terminal connected to a pair of input terminals of a different selective second amplifier.
- 3. The transmitter of claim 1, wherein each of the selective second amplifiers includes a pair of input terminals connected to an output terminal of a different preamplifier.
- 4. The transmitter of claim 3, wherein each of the selective second amplifiers includes a select terminal connected to the 1-of several decoder.

- 5. The transmitter of claim 4, wherein each of the selective second amplifiers includes an output terminal connected to an input terminal of the subcarrier oscillator.
- 6. The transmitter of claim 1, wherein the subcarrier oscillator includes an input terminal connected to an output terminal of each of the selective second amplifiers and the calibration circuit.
- 7. The transmitter of claim 6, wherein the subcarrier oscillator is connected to first and second monostable multivibrators.
 - 8. The transmitter of claim 7, wherein the subcarrier oscillator includes: a first clock terminal connected to the timing circuit; and a second clock terminal connected to one of the first and second monostable

multivibrators.

- 9. The transmitter of claim 1, wherein the timing circuit includes a first plurality of toggle-connected flip-flops.
 - 10. The transmitter of claim 9, wherein the flip-flops are type D flip-flops.
- 11. The transmitter of claim 1, wherein the calibration circuit includes an input terminal connected to the timing circuit.

- 12. The transmitter of claim 11, wherein the calibration circuit includes a select terminal connected to the 1-of-several decoder.
- 13. The transmitter of claim 15, wherein the calibration circuit includes an output terminal connected to an input terminal of the subcarrier oscillator.
- 14. The transmitter of claim 1, wherein the 1-of-several decoder is connected to a select terminal of each of the selective second amplifiers and the calibration circuit.
 - 15. The transmitter of claim 1, wherein the signal processing chip further includes: a temperature circuit connected to the timing circuit; and a reference circuit connected to the timing circuit.
- 16. The transmitter of claim 15, wherein the temperature circuit includes a select terminal connected to the 1-of-several decoder.
- 17. The transmitter of claim 16, wherein the temperature circuit includes an output terminal connected to an input terminal of the subcarrier oscillator.
- 18. The transmitter of claim 15, wherein the reference circuit includes a select terminal connected to the 1-of-several decoder.

- 19. The transmitter of claim 18, wherein the reference circuit includes an output terminal connected to an input terminal of the 1-of-several decoder.
- 20. The transmitter of claim 1, wherein the signal processing chip further includes first and second monostable multivibrators connected to the subcarrier oscillator.
- 21. The transmitter of claim 20, wherein the first and second monstable multivibrators are connected to the timing circuit.
- 22. The transmitter of claim 1, wherein the signal processing chip further includes an on-off switch.
- 23. The transmitter of claim 22, wherein the on-off switch is a magnetically activated switch.
- 24. The transmitter of claim 1, wherein the signal processing chip is an application specific integrated circuit.
- 25. The transmitter of claim 24, wherein the signal processing chip is a BiCMOS chip.
- 26. The transmitter of claim 25, wherein the signal processing chip has a length less than or equal to 2mm and a width less than or equal to 2mm.

- 27. The transmitter of claim 1, further comprising a substrate having the signal processing chip mounted thereon.
- 28. The transmitter of claim 27, further comprising a radio frequency oscillator mounted on the substrate.
- 29. The transmitter of claim 28, wherein the radio frequency oscillator includes an input terminal connected to an output terminal of the signal processing chip.
- 30. The transmitter of claim 28, further comprising an antenna connected to an output terminal of the radio frequency oscillator.
- 31. The transmitter of claim 30, further comprising a switch activator mounted on the substrate.
- 32. The transmitter of claim 31, wherein the switch activator is a hall-effect magnetic sensor.
- 33. The transmitter of claim 31, further comprising a housing that encloses the substrate.

- 34. The transmitter of claim 33, wherein the housing includes a base portion and a lid portion connected to the base portion.
- 35. The transmitter of claim 34, wherein the base portion includes a plurality of microterminals.
- 36. The transmitter of claim 34, wherein the lid portion is slidably connected to the base portion.
 - 37. The transmitter of claim 33, further comprising a battery enclosed by the housing.
- 38. The transmitter of claim 37, wherein the transmitter has a length less than or equal to 10mm, a width less than or equal to 10mm and a thickness less than or equal to 5mm.
 - 39. A miniaturized multi-channel wireless telemetry system, comprising: a transmitter, wherein the transmitter includes:
 - a signal processing chip, wherein the signal processing chip includes:
 - a plurality of input preamplifiers;
- a plurality of selective second amplifiers, wherein each selective second amplifier is connected to a different input preamplifier;
 - a subcarrier oscillator connected to the selective second amplifiers;
 - a timing circuit connected to the subcarrier oscillator;
 - a calibration circuit connected to the timing circuit; and

a 1-of-several decoder connected to the timing circuit; and a receiver in communication with the transmitter.

- 40. The system of claim 39, wherein the receiver includes:
- an antenna;
- a radio receiver connected to the antenna; and
- a demodulator connected to the radio receiver.
- 41. The system of claim 40, wherein the demodulator includes:
- a pulse separator circuit;
- a counter circuit connected to the pulse separator circuit;
- a digital-to-analog converter circuit connected to the counter circuit;
- a plurality of amplifier/filter circuits connected to the digital-to-analog converter circuit;
- a plurality low-pass filter circuits, wherein each of the low-pass filter circuits is connected to a different amplifier/filter circuit; and
- a plurality of block/buffer circuits, wherein each of the block/ buffer circuits is connected to a different low-pass filter circuit.
- 42. The system of claim 41, wherein the demodulator further includes a plurality of 1/f converters, wherein each of the 1/f converters is connected to a different low pass filter circuit.
- 43. The system of claim 42, wherein each of the l/f converters is connected to a different block/buffer circuit.